

# Other Sources of Existing National Data and Local Data Sources (Including the National Death Index) and Potential Contributions to Measuring Suicides

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# Household Surveys that Collect Data about Suicidal Ideation and Suicide Attempts

- The National Survey on Drug Use and Health (NSDUH)
- The Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System (BRFSS)
- National Epidemiologic Survey on Alcohol and Related Conditions (NESARC)

# Other National Sources of Data about Death by Suicide

- Web-based Injury Statistics and Reporting System (WISQARS)
- National Death Index (NDI)

# What Can We Learn From These Other Data Sources?

- They Can Provide Context
- They Can Provide an Understanding of Limitations
- They Can Provide an Understanding of Biases





# Thank you

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